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With the Original Cast, Magnificent Scenery and beautiful effects.  
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Real Boats, Racing Shells, Steam Launches, on a River of Real Water.  
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The Realistic Drowning Scene. Terrific Rain Storm of Real Water.

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And not seeing what we offer is missing a great treat.

The line of All wool **SERGES** that we offer at 50 cents a yard is not equalled by any house, and we show every shade—this is a Special Bargain and we call your attention to it.

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We mention as an extra bargain our 46-inch Silk Warp Henrietta—for present stock—\$1.25 a yard; real value \$1.75.

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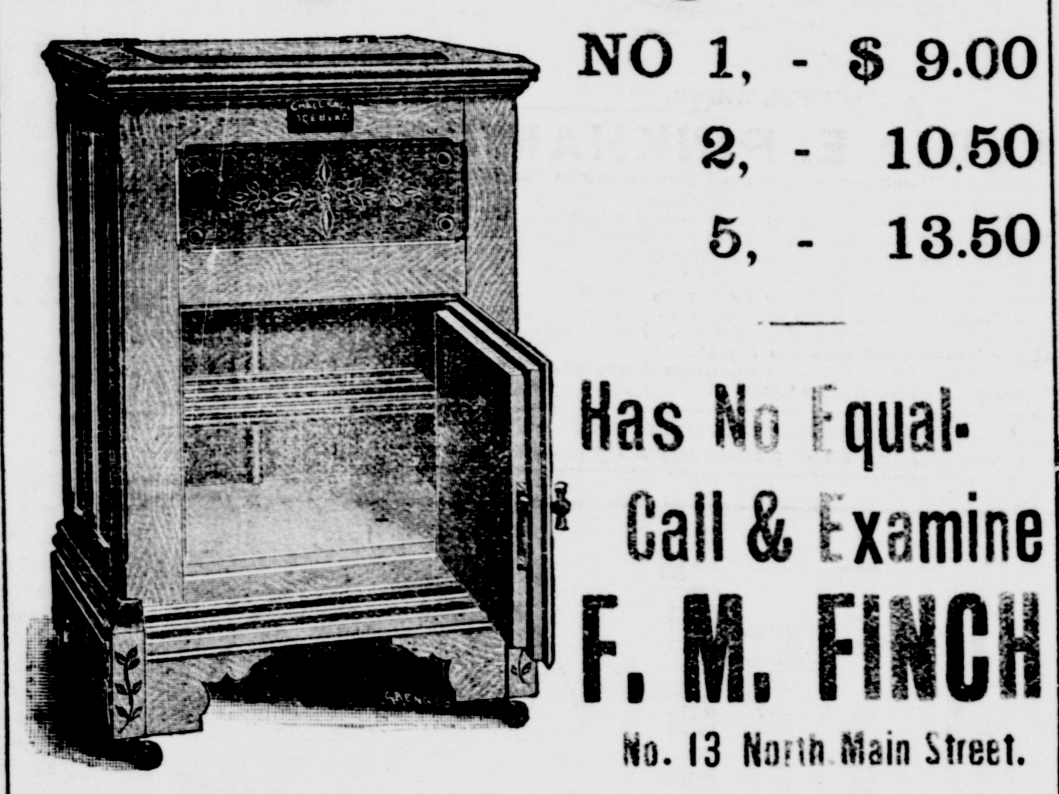
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with lift out metallic ice tank, double walls filled with mineral wool. No wood surfaces exposed. Saves 25 per cent. in ice bills. Philadelphia

**Lawn Mowers, Stoves, and Ranges.**  
Bought a big lot of a moving manufactory. (Can save you money)  
Oldest and Best Tin and Galvanized Iron Shop in the City.  
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A SPECIALTY. Thankful for past favors and soliciting a continuance of the same, I am Very Respectfully,  
**SILAS HAYNER, Agent**

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### OUR DISPLAY OF

## WASH "DRESS" GOODS,

For spring is worthy of the attention of those who appreciate real merit, even if unaccompanied by exorbitant prices. Only those are disappointed, who rely upon big prices as a feature essential to a tasty, stylish dress. We show the choicest and best selected line in city.

**French Gingham, Scotch Gingham, American Gingham, Seersucker Gingham, American Cloths, Zephyr Flannels, Outing Flannels, American Sateens**

**All Wool Challies, Cotton and Wool Challies, All Cotton Challies, Figured and Plain Batiste, Toile du Nord Gingham, Figured and Plain Lawns, Figured and Plain Organdies, French Sateens.**

An immense line of all kinds and widths of **CALICOES!**

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### DON'T BUY TRASHY CLOTHING!

When you can go to the new store of **ROSENFELD, CLOTHIER**

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Everything new and fresh and buy the following well made and well trimmed Suits from first-class manufacturers at prices 25 per cent. less than you formerly paid for the same goods and inferior makes.

LOT 515—A black worsted suit at \$3.50.  
LOT 2845—A large checked round cut suit \$4.00.  
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LOT 2567—A guaranteed b'ue flannel suit, for firemen, police and for Grand Army purposes, \$6.75.  
LOT 2989—A black all-wool cheviot suit, the most popular class—of goods now before the public, \$8.75.

REMEMBER our prices on the higher grades of goods are so much less than others, and in every department we can save you money. Call on us and see those advertised suits, and you will see we are in it.

## ROSENFELD, The Clothier,

OUTFITTER FOR MANKIND.

## WE STILL OFFER

Our home "Riverview" for sale.

This property is not equalled in the state at the price that we offer it for. To any one wanting a home with every modern improvement, located superbly, with ample grounds surrounding it and at a price below cost, this is the golden chance.

We offer this property for sale solely because it is too large for us to occupy and our desire is to build a smaller one. If we can sell this within the next 15 days (before May 1st), we will do so on the easiest of terms. If not sold previous to May 1st we shall begin house-keeping in it and withdraw it from the market.

Yours very truly,  
**GEO. L. & SARAH H. CARRINGTON.**

## FORESTS IN FLAMES.

### Fires in The Michigan Timber Still Raging

Many Lives in Danger—Pennsylvania Also Suffers from the Same Cause—Wild Beasts Driven Into the Towns—Fires Elsewhere.

IN MICHIGAN.  
DETROIT, Mich., May 4.—Fires broke out in the forest back of Harrison, Clare county, Tuesday, and since then have been spreading in all directions. Latest reports indicate that the counties of Oscoda, Clare, Gladwin, Rosecommon, Alcona, Ogemaw, Osoda and Iosco are ablaze. Fire Friday reached Corn Bros' mill at Harrisville, where it consumed a situation worth of logs. It also lapped over Clare county to Penasa, where the schoolhouse and three barns were burned. Slayton and Lane townships, Ogemaw county, are in the pathway of the flames, and nothing having been heard from there in two days, fears are entertained for their safety. Saturday afternoon's train on the Flint & Pere Marquette railroad ran through belts of fire all the way from Reed City to Midland county, 60 miles, and when near Farwell, Clare county, a tree that had burned through at the butt fell on the baggage car, smashing in the roof, but the speed of the train was sufficient to throw the burning tree aside.

EAST TAWAS, Mich., May 4.—The forest fires to the north and west of here, which have done considerable damage, have been subdued by rain.

IN PENNSYLVANIA.  
Erie, Pa., May 4.—The forest fires are raging with great severity along the line of the Philadelphia & Erie railroad, and it is almost impossible for the trainmen to endure the suffocating smoke in some parts of the mountain passes. In the vicinity of Clarendon great trouble is experienced in keeping the fire away from the town. At Sheffield the owners of oil-derrick are fighting the fires and so far have managed to save everything except one or two rigs. At Ludlow the mountains are full of fire. At Wilcox the fires are running up one side of the mountain and down the other. Around Johnsonburg and Ridgeway the fires are raging furiously, but the timber and low mountain growth does not come in close to the towns and they are not in imminent danger. Down on the middle division of the Philadelphia & Erie railroad the mountains are full of fire, and while it is very disagreeable traveling the mountains, they are a weird and grand scene at night. Game, including deer, is chased in herds into small lumbering towns.

REAR, Pa., May 4.—The heavy shower which fell Sunday morning did more than the bands of men who have been fighting the fire on the Blue mountains could accomplish in the last three days. After devastating over 1,500 acres the flames were extinguished by the rainfall, which lasted two hours.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 4.—A special dispatch to the Sun from Oakland, Md., says: Forest fires are raging in almost every direction, and clouds of smoke ascend from every mountain and hilltop of Garrett county. The people of Oakland can look from their windows at night and watch the long lines of flames as they gradually creep up the mountain sides. Everything is so extremely dry that it is next to impossible to check the fires, and much valuable property is being destroyed.

THE FIRE RECORD ELSEWHERE.  
LYLE, Minn., May 4.—Fire broke out Saturday morning in the Wheeler house, a vacant hotel, and in less than three hours after the fire had wiped out property valued at \$140,000. The town was entirely without fire protection, and the flames spread so rapidly that before assistance from neighboring towns could reach there the fire had done most of its work. The Union depot, belonging to the Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City, and the Illinois Central, together with the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul depot and two grain elevators, were consumed. Among the principal losers are Lund & Lundland, dealers in general merchandise, stock valued at \$20,000, covered by \$12,000 insurance; John Myer, general store, loss \$18,000, \$10,000 insurance; Myers & Frazier, loss \$8,000, \$3,000 insurance; A. J. Kulson's hardware and agricultural implements business was a total loss, estimated at \$22,000. The Commercial hotel, Stanley's barber shop, Hart & Conners' saloon, Arens' meat market, McCarty Bros' saloon and a number of residences were burned. There is strong suspicion that it was the work of incendiary.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 4.—Two fires Sunday morning totally destroyed the Reim and Rising Sun hotels on Tenth avenue, the hardware store of the Altoona Hardware Company on Eleventh avenue, and the large exchange stables attached to the White Hall hotel on Sixteenth street. The stock of William Murray & Son, dry goods, was also partially damaged by smoke and water. The fires were undoubtedly of incendiary origin. The loss will amount to \$75,000.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 4.—A special from Scranton, Pa., says: Fire destroyed the barns of the Scranton Electric street railway, with over thirty cars damaged. The Republican building and many other buildings close by, St. Luke's Episcopal church and rectory and the Young Men's Christian association building had narrow escapes. The total loss will reach over \$200,000.

Home Again.  
CHICAGO, May 4.—R. P. Hutchinson returned to the city Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois train from Terre Haute, and was around his usual haunts in the neighborhood of the board of trade Sunday. Mr. Hutchinson would not talk about his trip.

Several People Reported Killed.  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 4.—A boiler explosion is reported to have occurred after midnight at the Keystone rolling-mills on Second avenue. Several people are said to have been killed.

Short in His Accounts.  
TOLEDO, O., May 4.—William H. Cook, clerk of the police court, has confessed to the mayor that he is short in his accounts from \$20,000 to \$25,000.

## For An Investment

We have a property centrally located, rented for \$21.50 per month, payable in advance. It is sure to rent for this or more for all time. This is over eight and a half per cent. on the price we ask for it. There is a mortgage of \$1800 to run 3 or 5 years at seven per cent. Our price is \$3000; \$1000 cash, \$490 to be secured on the property ten years at seven per cent. Let's figure it out, it will take \$140 a year to pay your interest on the \$2000; taxes say \$15; insurance \$5. Take this amount \$160 in all from the \$258 rental and it leaves you \$98 net for the use of your \$1000. Besides this the property is sure to advance from \$200 to \$500 within 5 years. It is worth looking into.

Yours very truly,  
**GEO. L. & SARAH H. CARRINGTON.**

## Yesterday, April 13th

The masons began plastering our pretty little six room house. We expect to be able to deliver this house first week in May, all complete. We will sell it on the easiest of monthly payments with a cash not to exceed \$200. In fact you can make terms with us that cannot be duplicated elsewhere. Let us show you this place.

Yours very truly,  
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## That Little Cottage

At \$900; \$100 cash; \$500 mortgage, balance payable \$5.00 per month, deferred payments, bearing interest at seven per cent is a little home somebody wants. Come and see us.

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## Homesites Galore

In Forest Park, Glen-Etta, Riverview, Carrington, Wheeler and Whitehead's addition, Riverside and Spring Brook. In these six beautiful additions are located the most attractive lots for speculation also, in the city of Janesville. Buy anywhere in any one of these localities and you have a SURE THING. If you are in want of investments to pay a profit, invest here. If you want a Homesite you make a mistake if you buy without seeing us.

Yours very truly,  
**GEO. L. & SARAH H. CARRINGTON.**

## UNHAPPY CHILI.

Rapine and Pillage in the Unfortunate Country. A Town Sacked and Women and Children Slain.

CALLAO, April 5.—It is stated that the government forces retiring on Callao revolted, and that the officers fled toward Bolivar. Three companies of the Quillota regiment revolted at Quillota. The revolt was suppressed, and the leaders shot. After the fight at Pozo Almonte the victorious troops became disorderly and sacked the town. Shots were fired through locks. The doors thus opened, pillage followed, and women and girls of tender age were abused, and some were murdered. One fired with drink, lust and rapine, rioting commenced among the men, and soon the torch was applied, and three blocks were destroyed, while the strife continued, and the fall of men at the hands of their comrades in rapine accompanied the crashing fall of walls. The laboring from the nitrate fields took part in the work of destruction and eagerly seized the rifles and cartridges of the soldiers who fell. The soldiers found themselves unable to exercise the least authority over the men. A passenger who arrived from the south says: "The whole front of Iquique and the back of the town present a terrible appearance since the shooting and the fire. Holes have been dug in the ground by those who remain there, and over these blankets and sacks have been stretched in tent shape."

SLAIN AT MIDNIGHT.  
A Waukegan (Wis.) Saloon Keeper Murdered and Robbed by a Former Employee and His Pal.

WAUKEGAN, Wis., May 4.—Henry Schley, a saloon keeper, was murdered and robbed Saturday night while returning home from his place of business about midnight. The tragedy happened on Charles street but a few rods from Schley's residence. It was first discovered by William Oates, an engineer, about 2 o'clock. Schley's watch was taken and all the money from his pockets. The murder was committed with a bludgeon which was found at the spot. The victim's temple was crushed by a blow from in front. Sunday afternoon John Bernhardt was arrested and finally confessed the crime. Bernhardt is 19 years of age and the son of a farmer living at New Berlin, near Waukegan. Up to two weeks ago he was employed as a barkeeper by Schley. He said that he and a stranger, whom he called Al, plotted to commit the crime; that they waylaid their victim and Al crushed his skull with a club, after which Schley was taken to the police station and Schley's watch, Bernhardt has been taken to Milwaukee to prevent lynching.

TERRIBLE ELECTRIC STORMS.  
Two Men Killed by Lightning at Olathe, Kan., and One Killed at Other Place.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 4.—One of the worst electrical storms that has been witnessed in this part of the country passed over here Saturday morning, ranging from 4 o'clock until 11. No damage was done in this city, but reports from surrounding towns show that the storm was very serious. At Olathe the lightning struck several houses and killed two men, James Hoagland and Charles Holland.

CAIRO, Ill., May 4.—A terrible wind-storm passed over this city at 5 o'clock Saturday evening, blowing from the northwest at the rate of 50 miles per hour. Part of the roof of the Egyptian flour mills was torn off and much damage done to dwellings.

Houghton, Mich., May 4.—The northern arm of the upper peninsula, composed of Keweenaw and Houghton counties, has been fairly swept by a terrific wind and electrical storm. At Deer Bay a store and residence were blown down and the debris set on fire by lightning, four people being injured. At Calumet six barns, one store and two houses were demolished and large trees uprooted.

DIED A PAUPER.  
The Last of the Famous Borgias Expires in Dire Poverty.

BERLIN, May 4.—The last of the famous Borgias has just died in the most abject poverty at Ginge, near Salzburg, and his widow has been removed to a public hospital in a dying condition, the consequence of privation. The deceased was the great grandson of Don Albert Borgia, the last of the race to bear the rank and honors of prince, and his father was Baron Friederich Borgia, a professor in Esseg. The deceased made a living as a small official and afterward as a photographer. Ill health prevented him from providing for old age, and the descendant of popes, cardinals and princes spent the last year of his existence as a street mendicant. His wife was a washer-woman, who, woman like, thought the title ample compensation for the disadvantages of the connection. The expenses of the prince's funeral have been defrayed by the emperor of Austria, who only heard of his sad plight after his death.

Kentucky Tugboats Kill Each Other.  
CINCINNATI, May 4.—A Middleboro (Ky.) dispatch says: The little town of Walnut Hills, Va., near this city, was disturbed Friday by a sensational and tragic occurrence. For a long time an implacable feud has existed between Jim Jackson, alias "The Chicken Eater," and Jim Crabtree, alias "Big Bulldog," two of the most dangerous and notorious outlaws of the Cumberland mountains. Friday morning they met face to face. With terrible oaths they drew their revolvers and fired simultaneously. Crabtree shot Jackson through the heart, and Jackson's bullet penetrated Crabtree's brain. Both men died instantly.

Drowned While Forging a River.  
OSAWATOMIE, Kan., May 4.—Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Frank Williamson, accompanied by his wife and child, attempted to cross the Matias de Cygnus river at Remington ford. The river was too high and the wagon upset and Williamson and the baby were drowned. Mrs. Williamson stayed in the wagon box and was rescued.

Shackles of Anson Saved.  
The best slave in the world for Outa Brouss, Bone, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Bore, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chills, Cough, and all other ailments, and positively cures Flu, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. Shaver & Co.

Among other attractions in our military department, we mention an elegant new line of infants' and children's muslin hats and bonnets. **ARCHIE REID.**

## RUDINI HAS GIVEN UP.

His Latest Order Directs That Parley Cease.

ITALY'S CLAIM, HE DECLARES, IS JUST

Willing to Leave It to the Judgment of Public Opinion. He Declares It Absurd Time "to Break Off This Boisterous Controversy."

INSTRUCTIONS TO IMPERIAL.  
ROME, May 4.—The green book on the New Orleans lynching comprises twenty-four dispatches, dated from March 14 to April 28. It shows that the Italian government from the commencement persevered in asking that criminal proceedings be taken against the lynchers and that an indemnity be paid to the families of the victims. The expression "brought to justice" recurs in the official dispatches as well as in Baron Fava's private letters. The principal communications have already been published. After Mr. Blaine's note of April 14 the volume concludes with the telegram from Marquis di Rudini to Marquis de Sereilly, the text of which is as follows:

"I have now before me a note addressed to you by Secretary Blaine, April 14. Its perusal produces a most painful impression upon me. I will not stop to lay stress upon the lack of conformity with diplomatic usages displayed in making use of Mr. Blaine did not hesitate to do a portion of a telegram of mine communicated to him in strict confidence in order to get rid of a question clearly defined in our law, and which, which alone possesses a diplomatic value. Nor will I stop to point out the reference in this telegram of mine of March 24 that the words 'punishment' and 'guilty' in the telegram language actually signified only that prosecution ought to be commenced in order that the individual responsible as a guilty should not escape punishment. War above all astute arguments remains the fact that henceforward the federal government declares itself conscious of what we have constantly asked, and yet it does not grant our legitimate demands. Mr. Blaine is right when he makes the payment of indemnity to the families of the victims dependent upon proof of the violation of the treaty, but we shrink from thinking of the consideration that the words 'guilty' and 'punishment' are used. Italian subjects acquitted by American juries were massacred in prisons of the state without measures being taken to the families of the victims. We have placed on evidence that we have never asked anything else but the opening of regular proceedings in regard to the Barons Fava's note, dated March 15, contained even the formula of the telegram addressed to the same Mr. Blaine, in the note of April 4 Mr. Blaine is silent on the subject which is for us the main point of controversy."

"We are under the sad necessity of concluding that what to every other government would appear to be the accomplishment of strict duty is impossible to the federal government. It is time to break off this boisterous controversy. In the opinion of the sovereign judge, we know how to indicate an equitable solution of this grave problem. We have said that we will again demand, as our first right, that the federal government refrain from its side if it is expedient to leave to the mercy of each state of the union, irresponsible for the actions of the federal government, the pleading its faith and honor to entire nations. The present dispatch is addressed to you exclusively, not to the federal government. Your duties henceforth are solely restricted to dealing with current business."

A RADICAL PLATFORM.  
Programme for the National Union Conference to be Held at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, May 4.—The bulletin for the coming National union conference to be held in this city on May 19 was published Friday. The principal features of it are as follows:

Advocacy of the abolition of national bank currency and the substitution of legal tender currency; a demand for free coinage of silver; an issue of fractional currency; government ownership of means of transportation and communication; restriction of immigration; the abolition of convict labor; equal pay for equal work irrespective of sex; the establishment of government depositories where money may be loaned to the people; the prohibition of foreign ownership of a graduate of the law; the imposing of an income tax; the prohibition of dealing in futures in agricultural and mechanical products; the government control of patent monopolies; reorganization of the army and the equalization of the difference in the pay of soldiers and sailors in the late war; the reorganization of the postmaster; the taking away of the veto power of congress on measures superior to that of the president; free speech, schools, books, and if necessary, clothes and education for indigent children, and municipal ownership of gas, electric light, street cars, etc.

A Strange Accident Ends in Death.  
NEW YORK, May 4.—After two weeks of unparalleled suffering Rev. Dr. George W. Bothwell, of the Congregational Church of the Covenant, Brooklyn, died Sunday night. The accident which resulted in his death was the swallowing of a cork which lodged in the bronchia. Several surgical operations failed to relieve the sufferer. Dr. Bothwell was born forty-one years ago in Ohio and graduated at Adrian College, Michigan. Afterward he entered Yale.

Holden's Sentence Commuted.  
ST. PAUL, Minn., May 4.—Clifton Holden, convicted of murder and sentenced to be hanged, has had his sentence commuted to life imprisonment after one of the hardest fought battles on record. Holden was convicted on circumstantial evidence and asserts his innocence.

Ex-Minister Taft Dying.  
CINCINNATI, May 4.—The family of Judge Alphonso Taft has received news from San Diego, Cal., of an unfavorable turn in the judge's condition, and it is feared that he will live but a few days.

His Mother Pays His Debts.  
LONDON, May 4.—Queen Victoria has placed £200,000 at the disposal of the prince of Wales with which to pay his creditors. The government decided that it was inappropriate to ask parliament for a grant.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Subscribed to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.  
A. W. GILSON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonial, free.

W. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.  
Sold by druggists, 75 cents.

Black Dirt.  
D. I. covered to any part of the city for flowers and lawns, at one dollar per load. Leave orders at Fred Vanier's grocery.

G. H. HATHORN.











## TO-NIGHT DECIDES IT.

Thirteen Saloonists Have Asked  
The Council For License

OBJECT TO PAYING \$400.

The Declaration Is Made That Steps Will  
Be Taken To Arrange A Test Case—  
Summers Asks To The Council Action  
On The Question To-night.

Only thirteen saloon keepers had filed their applications with the city clerk at noon today for a renewal of their saloon license. Of this number, two had deposited the fee for the wholesale and retail license—William Fathens and Percy Robinson.

It is claimed the saloon men are holding back their applications for the double license under legal advice, and that they have been promised an opinion this afternoon. Others are very sanguine that the council will not exact the double license from those who do not desire to be engaged in the wholesale trade.

"I would like to know how the majority of the council will vote on this question," said one of the single license adherents. "I know the saloon men have been banking largely on my vote, yet if a majority of the aldermen favor a double license I will vote with them and try and make the vote unanimous."

The same adherent expressed the opinion that the license was not high enough at four hundred dollars to reduce the number of saloons, and thought it ought to be higher. "I know there will be more applications this year than there was last year, even at four hundred dollars," said he. "Now I favor the taking away of person's license when he disobeys the law. I have no love for him, or anyone else who violates the law."

The license question will be the great question before the council meeting this evening. The double-license advocates and friends of Mayor St. John are confident they have a clear majority in the council on this question, and that no license will be granted except it be to applicants for both wholesale and retail.

On the other hand, the saloon men are divided among themselves, yet are holding back to make sure what they are to do. It will not be altogether surprising if the council reject several applicants, on the ground that they have violated the law, and for other reasons.

"There is no law to compel us to take out the double license," say some of them in their arguments. This is answered by the assertion that there is no law to compel the council to grant a license to any or all applicants, and no law now on the books can compel an alderman to vote for the licensing of any saloon.

SAYS THE LEAGUE RESTRICTS.

M. Dougherty Defends The Liquor Dealer's Association.

EDITION GAZETTE.—The article in the local columns of your issue of Saturday last—"Always Sold Quarts"—contains as many statements that are unfair and unwarranted, that I ask the privilege of correcting you in the interest of a class of citizens who are engaged in a business sanctioned by law and recognized by the state of Wisconsin. You are informed that some saloon keeper of this city has been drawn upon for five and ten dollars by the Personal Liberty League. Whoever has given you such information has done it with the purpose of defaming. No assessments are made upon anyone, and no money is exacted of any member of the league. The Personal Liberty League is a law abiding association, and aids in enforcing the excise laws wherever violations of the law come to its notice. Its main object is to raise the standard of the business, and not to make war upon existing laws. In your interview with the saloon-keeper he appears to use this language: "I think the mayor is right and I hope he and the council will hold on to the bull's horns and enforce the law to the very letter."

Don't go half way about it, but insist in a strict enforcement and compliance," even you call attention to any law that requires or compels a man to take out a double license who intends to engage wholly in a retail trade? We have a law to punish a man who sells at wholesale without a retail license, but what shadow of law is there that warrants the presumption that any class of business men intend violating the laws of the state? If a man does not take out such license but makes such sales, you have laws to reach his case, and it is useless for you to say that such laws can not be enforced. As president of the Jansville branch of the league, and vice president of the First District of the state, I say to you that the influence of the league can always be commanded to bring any violation of the excise law to punishment. We do not desire to make war upon any existing condition of society, but on the contrary, we wish to aid society in its effort to suppress offense of any nature.

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Few will deny that Jansville saloon keepers have been wholesalers from the time of the oldest inhabitant. It would be difficult to find an instance where a saloonist has refused to fill a bottle because he did not have a double license. For aldermen to shut their eyes on this fact therefore is to encourage law breaking or to make necessary the enlargement of the city police. As to the levying of contributions by the Personal Liberty League, the statement made by a saloonkeeper through the columns of The Gazette Saturday evening is supported by the testimony of other liquor dealers who were approached in the same way.

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## PUT UP FIRE ESCAPES.

The High School Must Be Provided With Them.

STATE ORDERS RECEIVED.

The Factory Inspector Notifies The Clerk Of The Board Of Education That The Law Must Be Complied With At Once—Plans and Proposals.

Clerk S. O. Barnham of the board of education, received official notice this morning from the state factory inspector, notifying the board that they must place fire escapes on the high school building, at once, or subject the board to the penalties provided by law. This matter has been under discussion by the school board for several terms, and at one time the board resolved to have the escapes placed on the building, yet for some reason it was never done. Now the board will be compelled to take some decided action in the matter.

Clerk Barnham is in favor of putting up the Benner escape with hose connections on each floor. He thinks this will be of good service in case of fire. Besides this it will undoubtedly reduce the insurance rate on the building, especially if the water column is attached directly to the city water mains. The matter will be laid before the board meeting this evening.

MANY FIELDS SEEDED.  
Observer Helms' Review of Crops And Weather.

The crop bulletin issued from the Jansville office of the state weather bureau by E. B. Helms today shows that the season at date is in some respects farther advanced than for years past through the effects of the weather during past two weeks. Trees are leafing and in bloom, pastures show a continued phenomenal growth, and winter grain is an excellent stand. Spring seeding has been completed in many places, and is generally nearing completion. Ploughing for corn is the order of the day, and corn planting will be general next week with continued favorable weather conditions.

The newly sown grain requires rain to effect rapid and favorable germination, although some spring sown grain is already up, and rain is needed generally in all sections.

An increased acreage of corn and potatoes will be planted through the state, potato planting having already commenced, but less spring wheat has been sown owing to the greater acreage devoted to winter wheat. More tobacco will be grown than usual.

The present outlook is for a cold rain for southern Wisconsin. There is a cold wave of air in the extreme northwest territory with moving temperatures at this date of 18° above zero. This wave of air will effect Wisconsin's weather conditions to a greater or less degree by Monday or Tuesday, and farmers and gardeners are cautioned accordingly.

BIG PRICE FOR FARM PRODUCTS.  
Rock County Farmers Deserve Democratic Assurances.

It was a favorite prophecy of democratic orators that "McKinley times" and "hard times" would mean the same for Rock county farmers. Just how much truth there was in this is shown by the following paragraph from the Edgerton Reporter:

"It has been many years since the products of the farm have brought such remunerative prices as at present. Beef, pork, oats and corn are each bringing high prices compared with the average of the past few years. Charles Miller, of Cookville, the owner of several large farms, has marketed 15,000 bushels of oats at about 60 cents per bushel. The Brown Brothers, of this city, shipped 5,000 bushels recently that brought them 60 cents on the track. Live hogs brought five cents in this market the past week for the first time in a couple of years. Good beef cattle are also bringing five cents or above.

J. T. WRIGHT MADE PRESIDENT.  
Annual Meeting of the Sunday School Association Very Successful.

J. T. Wright was re-elected president of the County Sunday School Association at the Edgerton convention. The other officers were: Secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Hopkins, Edgerton; vice presidents, E. L. Eaton, M. E. J. Scholdfeld, Congregational, W. F. Booth Baptist, W. F. Richards United Brethren, J. W. Barlick Seven Day Baptist, M. H. Dean Disciple, Rev. Mr. Vivian Primitive Methodist.

The afternoon and evening meetings were large and enthusiastic. The program included address by Rev. E. L. Eaton, at address by Rev. John Scholdfeld on "The Joy and Triumph of Sunday School Work," and a memorial service for the late Father Cheney. Rev. D. R. Crover gave the address and Rev. H. Sewell, President Wright and Dr. H. Holistic gave reminiscences. C. N. Frank, of Evansville, led a children's meeting, and Professor Bacon, of Beloit, occupied the closing hour with a lecture on "The Bible side of Astronomy."

WILL RE-ELECT F. W. COOLEY.  
Much Work Laid Out For The School Board To-night.

The board of education will have considerable business to consider at the meeting this evening, of interest to the general public. A census taker is to be elected at this meeting, and the members have not fully determined on what course to pursue in making the selection. It is a matter of finance with the board more than one of politics, and therefore they are approaching the matter with considerable caution.

The election of a superintendent of schools will also come up at this meeting. It is generally conceded that Professor F. W. Cooley will be re-elected without opposition.

Another important matter to come before the board will be the arrangements for high school commencement. The question of holding the exercises in the opera house or in one of the churches, will be decided. The board will also be asked to rescind the action of the former board, restricting the class to three essays. The class this year is a large one, there being sixteen. They claim it is

unfair to shut them out on this occasion. It is thought the board will rescind the former action, and adopt a resolution allowing all to appear.

Bids for putting heating apparatus in the two new school houses will be considered, and probably the contract will be awarded.

CIGAR MAKERS WALK OUT.  
Fifteen Hundred Men Strike For Higher Wages at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 4.—[Special].—Cigar makers struck today for an increase of wages, and many more are expected to walk out soon. The employers are firm in their refusal to grant the increase, and further trouble is feared.

WINSLOW IS JUSTICE.  
The Governor Appoints The Racine Man To Fill Taylor's Place.

MADISON, May 4.—[Special].—Governor Peck has appointed Judge John B. Winslow, of Racine, associate justice of the supreme court, to succeed Judge Taylor. Judge Winslow is well known throughout the state as an able and conscientious jurist, and his appointment gives general satisfaction.

KICKED HER BACK TO SHREDS.  
An Unlucky Horse Leaves His Mate Helpless.

A team belonging to Ed Palmer, of Fairfield, in some way got the pole down which separated them, Saturday night, and began kicking each other. In the morning, when Mr. Palmer went to the barn, he found one, a fine six-year-old mare, in a pitiful condition, being a complete mass of bruises and gashes from the shoulder back. There was a place on her hip eight inches square entirely stripped and the flesh hanging in shreds.

BLEW HALF HIS HEAD OFF.  
Fearsful Accident to a Fourteen Year Old Boy Near Evansville.

Fred Owen, the fourteen year old son of John Owen, living north of Evansville, was instantly killed by a shot gun in his own hands. He took the gun from the house early in the forenoon, and started out to go hunting. In a few minutes his mother heard the report of the gun in a shed near by, where she immediately went and found her son dead with the top of his skull completely blown off. There is no reason to suppose but what the occurrence was wholly accidental.

HAND TORN BY A CARDER.  
Amel Bergman Severely Hurt at the Hat Mill Today.

Amel Bergman, whose parents reside at 305 Western avenue, had his left hand badly lacerated at the Bailey hat factory this morning. The lad was employed at a carding machine, his hand in some manner caught in the cords, being severely torn. Fortunately no bones were broken. The accident occurred just as the factory was starting up at 7 o'clock. The boy's hand was dressed by Dr. W. H. Palmer, after which he was taken to his home. The injuries will lay him up for some days.

## ST. MARY'S WILL BUILD

That Decision Reached At A Meeting of the Congregation.

WORK TO BE BEGUN SOON.

The New Building Will Be Brick, Containing Two School Rooms on The First Floor and a Spacious Hall on The Second.

It is now definitely settled that St. Mary's church and society will build a new school house the coming season at the corner of Prospect avenue and Wisconsin street. The building will be 40 by 60 feet, two stories high. The first floor will be divided into two school rooms with modern conveniences, while the second story will be completed for a hall, for the use of the church and the societies connected with the church.

At the meeting of the society the matter of building was laid before the members, and it was decided to secure plans and specifications for the proposed new building at once. When these are completed bids will be secured and the exact cost of the building completely ascertained. It is the intention of the promoters of the building to have it completed and ready for use this summer.

RYE SOWN ON LEAF FIELDS.  
Tobacco Growers Adopt New Method of Fertilizing.

There is now very little doing in warehouse circles in Jansville, all the warehouses, with one or two exceptions, having closed for the season.

Tobacco growers are getting ready for planting, crowding their plant beds along as fast as the weather will permit. The indications are that a much larger area will be devoted to tobacco growing this year than ever before in Rock county. A number of growers in this vicinity have sown rye on their tobacco ground, intending to plow it under as a fertilizer. Those having thus prepared their ground will commence plowing the present week. Others are following old methods of fertilizing.

Many plant beds prepared early in the season are now coming forward in good shape, much care being necessary to protect the tender plants from frost.

Sales of seed leaf tobacco reported by J. S. (Grand) Son, tobacco broker, No. 121 Water street, New York, for the week ending May 4, 1931.

715 cases, crop of 1899, Pennsylvania Seed, at 114 to 115 cents.  
115 cases, crop of 1899, Pennsylvania Seed, at 124 to 125 cents.  
200 cases, crop of 1899, Pennsylvania Havana, at 124 to 125 cents.  
100 cases, crop of 1899, Wisconsin Havana, at 124 to 125 cents.  
100 cases, crop of 1899, State Havana, at 14 to 15 cents.  
115 cases, crop of 1899, New England Havana, at 15 to 16 cents.  
100 cases, Sundries, at 7 to 8 1/2 cents.  
Total cases, 1,295.

THE "SEAKING" A SUCCESS.  
Auditors Have Hard Work To Voice Their Praise.

A delighted audience listened to "The Sea King" Saturday night. Catchy melody, handsome scenery, well-chosen costumes, a prima donna whose tuneful numbers in Fancette were well remembered, and a comedian who could try for honors with Francis Wilson—all these helped to make St. Mary's new opera a success. The opera itself is original and pretty, graceful and ear-catching, and possesses exceedingly taking melody and other light and breezy touches. The scene is laid in Spain, and the time is the latter part of the sixteenth century.

Excellent opportunity is given therefore for scenic work, and the opportunity has not been neglected. The piece is well mounted and well sung. R. E. Graham, in the part of "Don Bombona," and Elsie Warren as "Dolores" deserve especial praise. Miss Warren's singing being of an unusual order, and Mr. Graham's comedy work keeping his audience in tears. The company has been booked at the Milwaukee for a year.

For Sale.  
House and lot No. 20 Milwaukee avenue. This property is one of the best corners on the avenue and will be sold with or without the buildings. For terms enquire of N. Dearborn, over Chicago store.

LOCAL MATTERS.  
See our styles and get our prices on baby carriages. BROOK & SYDNER.  
New spring styles of splendid wall papers, fringes, curtains, etc., at Sutherland's bookstore.  
The latest for ladies' neckwear is the "Chiffon" ruffling. We have it in several colors and widths. Ask to see it ANCHIE REID.  
Baby cabs at Wheelock's cheap; handsome lace covers to parasols; carpet tapers; kneading boards; carpet sweepers; door mats 15 cents, to close.  
We now have in stock the argos and most complete stock of wall paper in the state. Prices always the lowest.  
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DRESS.  
For summer dresses nothing could be prettier than the "Brandenburg Cloths." We show them. Price 25 cents a yard. ANCHIE REID.  
Dado or plain window shades, any width or color, made to order on short notice at Sutherland & Sons.  
Just notice the line of domestic satines we are offering at 8 cents per yard. The usual price is 12 1/2 cents. New patterns ANCHIE REID.  
We have a handsome line of silk and cloth wraps; very desirable and dressy, also some new things in jiffed wraps ANCHIE REID.  
Canvases for this city wanted at once (both sexes). Apply to E. N. Harrell, general agent, 155 North Bluff street, and Mrs. St. John, Jansville, Wisconsin, and receive a good chance.  
The biggest thing yet; a stroller. Just think? We place on sale until closed out, 50 dozen four-button gloves in black and tan shades; good for common wear, worth 60 cents, our price 39 cents a pair, 39 cents a pair, 39 cents. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

Beat a Mile a Minute.  
William Barrell, who has been confined to his north main street home for ten days or more with the grip, is now able to be out. During his confinement last week his brother, residing at Becove, died from the effects of the same disease, and he was unable to attend the funeral. Mr. Barrell is now also confined to his home, suffering with a combined attack of grip and pneumonia.

Suffered Much From Grip.  
Peter Tolldin and Miss Josie Walsh were married at St. Mary's church at 8 o'clock this morning by Rev. Father Roche. The young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. William Welsh. The newly married pair will make their home on Center avenue near Union street, for the present.

May Freeze Up.  
Forecast for Jansville and vicinity—fair and cooler.  
The temperature as observed by E. B. Helms during the last twenty-four hours was as follows:  
At 7 a. m. 40° Maximum..... 54  
At 1 p. m. 51° Minimum..... 39  
Beloit Uses a Row Boat.  
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